

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 27 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 28 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 26 Aug 2021 at 14:15

Confidence: High for continued dry and settled weather. Moderate for exact cloud detail in outlook.

Headline for Friday 27 Aug 2021: Dry with long intervals of sunshine.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 27 Aug 2021

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Gales

No Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy Snow

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight

High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m

Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
							
Clear night	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Clear night
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

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Weather: Some short-lived mist and fog patches in the valleys first thing under clear skies. A dry day follows with prolonged sunny intervals. Some patchy cloud developing during the afternoon, but clear intervals continuing into the night.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90% or better through the day.

Visibility: Poor in any early morning mist and fog patches. Otherwise very good visibility of distant hills throughout the day with most cloud staying above the summits.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	13/17 E	13/17 E	13/17 E	11/15 E	8/12 NE	8/12 NE	11/15 E	14/18 NE	11/15 E
600	11/14 E	10/13 E	10/14 E	9/13 E	8/12 NE	9/14 NE	7/12 E	9/13 E	8/13 E
300	7/12 E	6/8 E	7/11 E	4/8 NE	8/13 N	9/15 NE	5/10 NE	6/11 E	5/11 E
Valley	7/12 E	6/8 SE	6/10 E	4/7 NE	9/13 N	10/15 N	5/10 NE	6/10 E	5/10 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	9/6	8/5	7/4	8/5	10/9	11/10	10/8	9/6	8/5
600	12/10	10/8	9/7	11/9	13/12	14/12	12/11	11/9	10/8
300	13/12	12/10	11/10	13/13	15/14	16/14	15/14	13/12	12/11
Valley	14/13	12/12	12/11	15/14	16/15	16/14	16/15	14/13	13/13
Freezing Level*	2600m	2500m	2100m	2400m	2100m	2200m	2700m	2200m	2200m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Meteorologist's View

Although it is towards the end of summer, UV levels will still be high in the prolonged sunny intervals, particularly as you climb further up. Therefore, it is still important to protect exposed areas of skin and stay hydrated.

Forecast for Saturday 28 Aug 2021

Weather: Another clear night, with mist and fog patches forming around dawn. Some low cloud covering slopes below 300m as the fog lifts. From mid-morning onward, it will be dry and sunny with just some fair-weather cloud bubbling up through the afternoon. Remaining dry with clear intervals into the night.

Maximum wind: Winds on the summits initially northeasterly 10mph, easing to 5mph in the afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 90% or better through the day.

Visibility: Locally poor in any early morning mist and fog patches, and on lower slopes as the low cloud lifts. Otherwise, most cloud staying above the summits and allowing for very good visibility of distant hills.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 8 Celsius, rising to plus 20 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 6 Celsius, rising to plus 12 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

Ground Conditions Supplement

Please see - <https://www.eryri.llyw.cymru/visiting/walking/ground-conditions>

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